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Re:	Application of:	CATTANEO, Antonino, et al.	
	Serial No.:	10/583,618	
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	For:	<b>METHOD FOR THE HUMANIZATION OF ANTIBODIES AND HUMANIZED ANTIBODIES THEREBY OBTAINED</b>	
	Confirmation No.:	5926	

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

Prior to the examination, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

**Amendments to the claims** and a listing of the claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 6 of this paper.